Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty (*Anthikad*).—Will the Government be pleased to find some process for converting the night soil into manure?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*—There is a method known as the Indore method. I am not myself an expert. Some experiment is being tried in the Public Health Department. Probably if it is found successful the Trichur Municipality will adopt it.

Mr. A. Narayana Menon (*Vyttila*).—Have the Government received any complaints from the people of Kalur against the night soil dumping ground nuisance?

Mr. President.—Order, Order, Does not arise.

Site in front of the Office of the Inspector of Agriculture—Irinjalakuda—use as play ground—request for—particulars regarding,

357. Mr. K. S. Manickam (*Irinjalakuda*).—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) whether any petition from the public of Irinjalakuda has been received by the Government requesting them to allow the use of the site in front of the Office of the Inspector of Agriculture as a play-ground;

(2) if so, the reply to the petition;

(3) whether the said site was not used as a play-ground for a very long time;

(4) whether the Director of public Health and Panchayats has received any representation to the effect that the site in front of the Victoria Jubilee Public Library, Irinjalakuda, might be permitted to be used as a play-ground for boys;

(5) if the answer to the above be in the affirmative, what the reply to the representation is?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—(1) No.

(2) Does not arise.

(3) No.

(4) Yes.

(5) The request was sanctioned.

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Mr. K. S. Manickam (*Irinjalakuda*).—Is th Government aware of the fact that the site in front of the office of the Inspector of Agriculture was being used as a playground?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—No, Government are not aware.

Mr. K. S. Manickam (*Irinjalakuda.*)—May I know the reason why the present Inspector of Agriculture does not allow the site in front of his office to be used as a playground?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—Government are not aware.

Mr. K. S. Manickam (*Irinjalakuda*).—It was for a long time used as a playground.

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—The answer is no.

Regarding the clubbing together of the departments of Anchal and Registration.

358. Mr. T. C. Iyyukutty (*Pazhanji*).—Will the Government be pleased to state whether they cannot club together the departments of Anchal and Registration in future?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—The question of amalgamation will be considered.

Regarding rural recontstruction works at the Depressed classes' colonies.

359. Mr. A. Narayana Menon. (*Vyttila*).—Will the Government be pleased to state whether useful rural reconstruction works are carried on at any of the Depressed classes' colonies; if so, where; if not, will they be pleased to introduce some works at some centres?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—Yes. Poultry farming has been introduced in Herbertnagar colony. The question of starting rural reconstruction works on a larger scale is under the consideration of the Government.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan (*Wadakancheri*).—May I know whether Government have got any definite scheme for starting rural reconstruction work?

Mr. K. P. Kannan Nayar (*Joint Secretary to Government*).—We have received certain proposals from the Protector

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